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NOTIFICATION

G. O. (P) No. 46/81/TF & P. *Dated, Trivandrum, 4th June*, 1981.

S. R. O. No. 670/81.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 21, 21J, 41 and 68 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1939 (Central Act 4 of 1939), the Government of Kerala hereby make the following rules further to amend the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1961, the same having been previously published as required by sub-section (1) of section 133 of the said Act, namely:—

RULES

1. These Rules may be called the Kerala Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Rules, 1981.

2. In the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1961,—

(i) in rule 4, after the second sentence, the following sentence shall be inserted, namely:—

"Where there is a subordinate office, the Joint Regional Transport Officer attached to that office shall be the Additional Licensing Authority within his jurisdiction";

(ii) in rule 59, after the second sentence the following sentence shall be inserted, namely:—

"Where there is a subordinate office, the Joint Regional Transport Officer attached to that office shall be the Additional Licensing Authority within his jurisdiction";

(iii) in rule 102, after the second sentence the following sentence shall be inserted, namely:—

"Where there is a subordinate office, the Joint Regional Transport Officer attached to that office shall be the Additional Registering Authority within his jurisdiction";

(iv) in sub-rule (4) of rule 161, for the words "the Joint Regional Transport Officer of the region" the words "the Joint Regional Transport Officer of the region and to the Joint Regional Transport Officer attached to a subordinate office" shall be substituted.

By order of the Governor,

P. SANKARAN NAIR,
Additional Secretary to Government.

Explanatory Note

(This is not part of the notification but is intended to indicate the general purport).

In order to decentralise the work in Regional Transport Offices, Government have issued orders in G. O. (Ms) No. 56/80/W&T dated 8-12-1980 creating eleven posts of Joint Regional Transport Officers in the Unit offices of the Motor Vehicles Department. It is therefore necessary to delegate the powers of the Regional Transport Officers conferred by rules 4, 59, 102 and 161 of the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1961 to the Joint Regional Transport Officers in the Unit offices also making necessary amendments to the Kerala Motor Vehicles Rules, 1961. Hence this notification.

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